

Early Phoenician Script (13th Century B.C.E. – 3rd C.E.) with East-Syriac Reading 44

Script	East-Syriac Reading	Transliteration Value	Numerical Value
𐤀	ʾālaṗ	ʾ	1
𐤁	bēt	b	2
𐤂	gāmal	g	3
𐤃	dālat/ḏ	d	4
𐤄	hē	h	5
𐤅	wāw	w	6
𐤆	zay(n)	z	7
𐤇	ḥēt	ḥ	8
𐤈	ṭēt	ṭ	9
𐤉	yō/ūd	y	10
𐤊	kāṗ	k	20
𐤋	lāmaḏ	l	30
𐤌	mīm	m	40
𐤍	nūn	n	50
𐤎	semkaṭ	s	60
𐤏	ʿē	ʿ	70
𐤐	pē	p	80
𐤑	ṣādē	ṣ	90
𐤒	qōṗ	q	100
𐤓	rēš	r	200
𐤔	šīn	š	300
𐤕	taw	t	400

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Dedication

I dedicate this work in memory of **His Holiness Mar Dinkha IV**, Catholicos-Patriarch of *The Assyrian Church of the East*, Sunday, September 15, 1935 – Thursday, March 26, 2015, with love, respect, and appreciation.